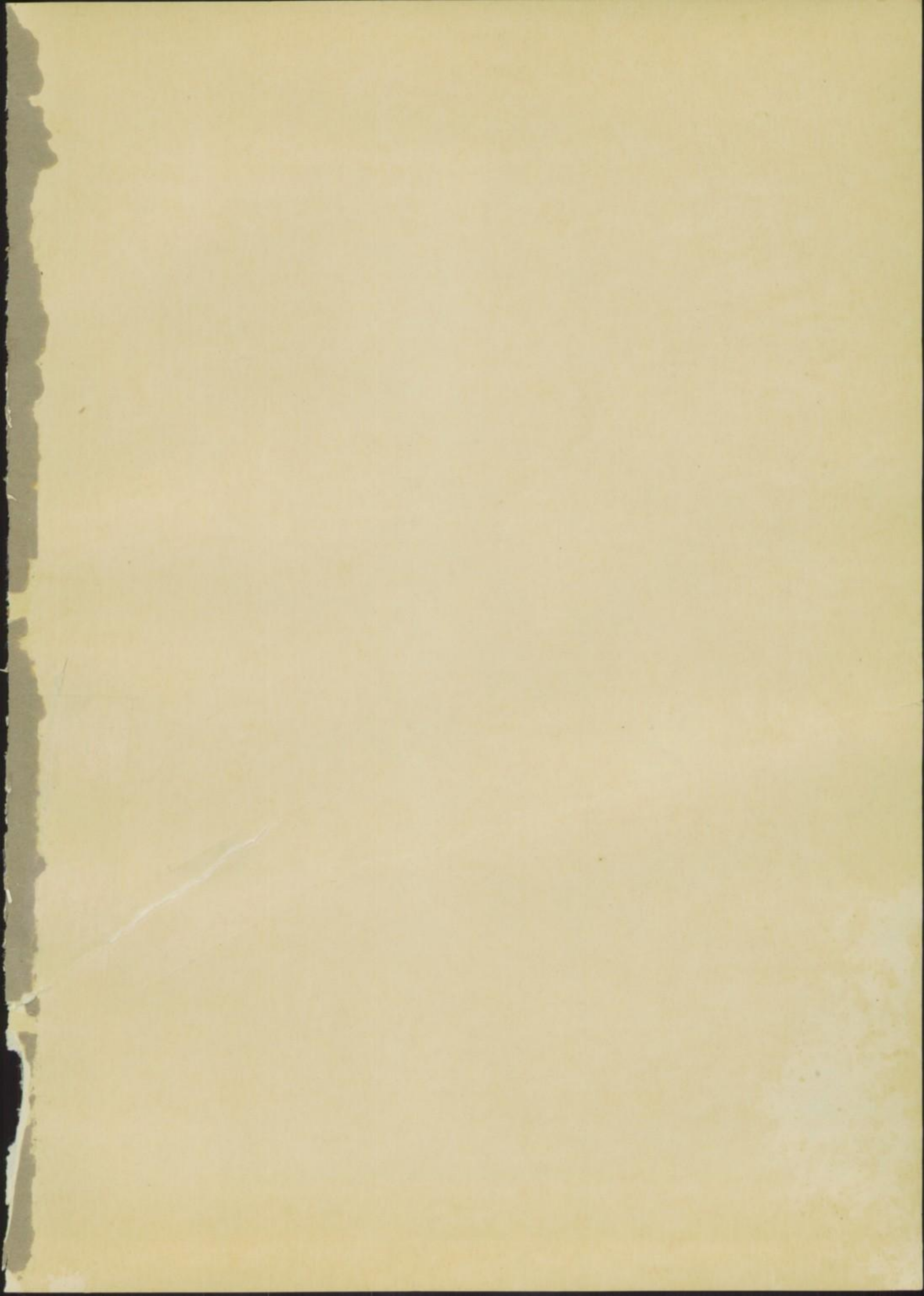




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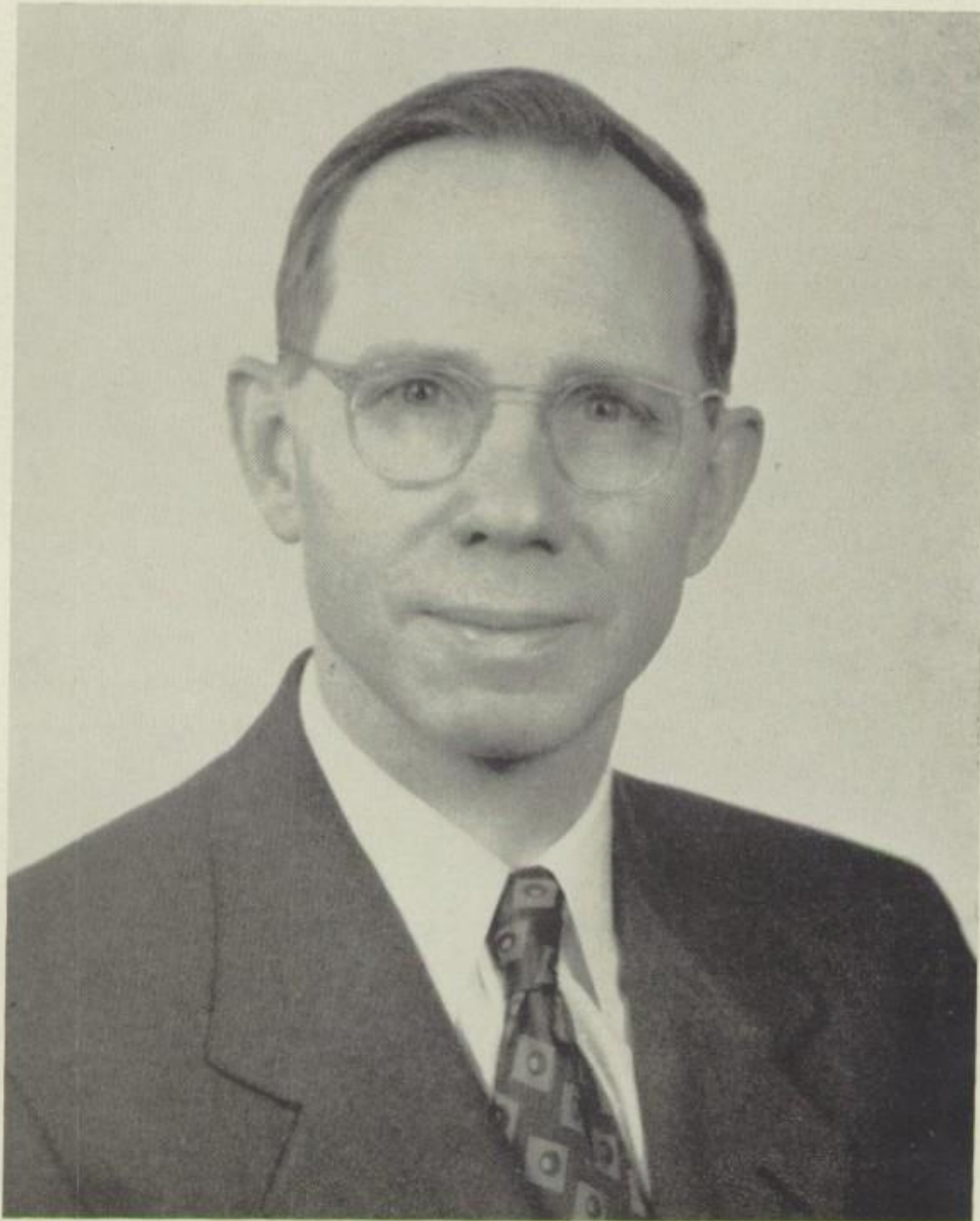
MONTROSE HIGH SCHOOL

FOREWORD

We of the Acta staff hope that as you leaf through these pages, many happy memories will be brought back to you of your life in Montrose High School.



DEDICATION



Maurice D. Taylor

To Mr. Taylor, our ever-busy music director and leader of a splendid championship band, we, the senior class of '51, wish to dedicate our Acta, in full appreciation of your labors and interest in the betterment of our school.

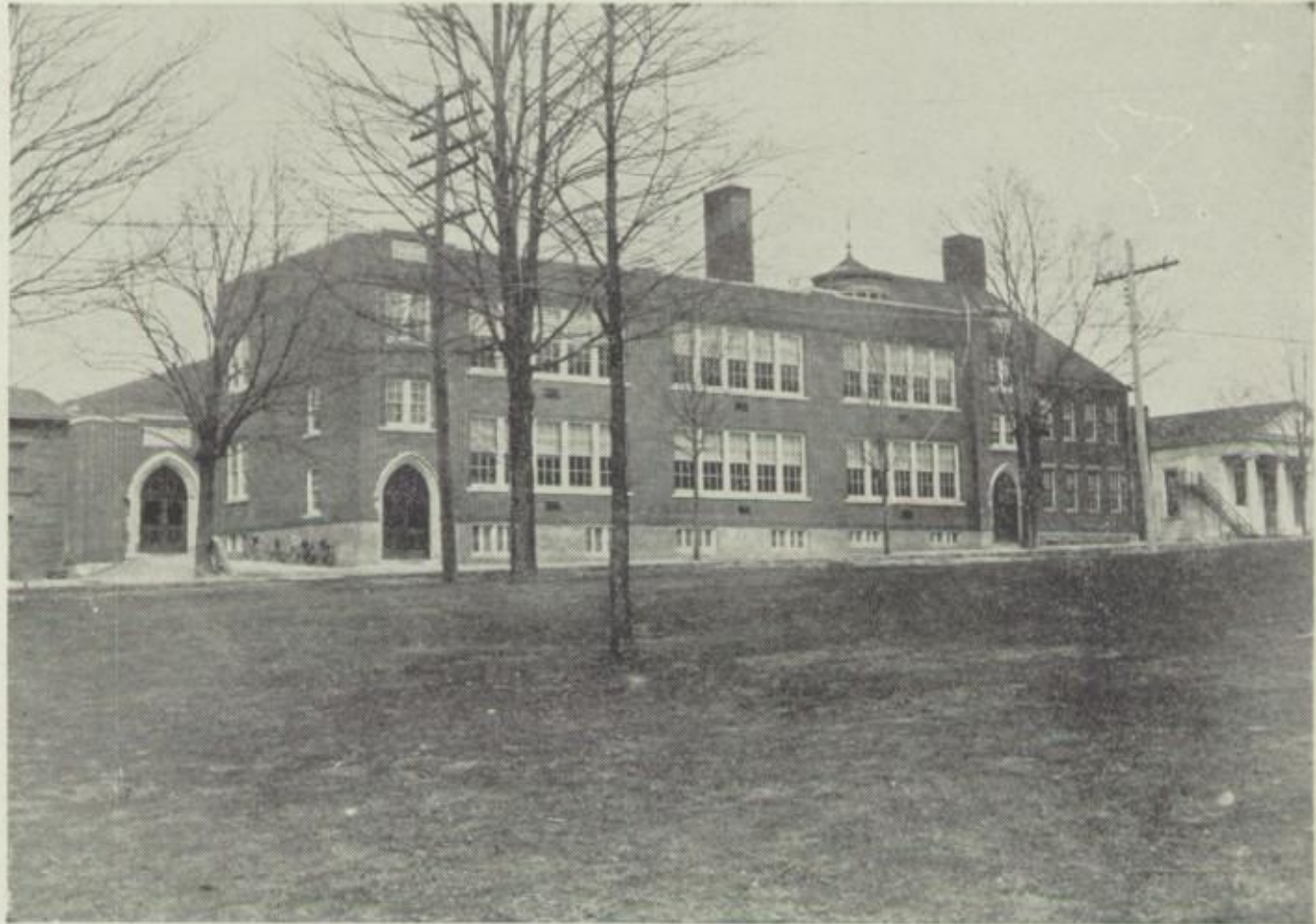
ACTA STAFF



Seated, left to right: Barbara Gunther, Neil Andre, Barbara Hicks, Nelson Craige, editor, Suzanne Lake, Ralph Kudart, Ann Norris.

Second row: Michael Flanagan, Ann Sickler, Mary O'Boyle, Paul Harrison, Frank Moger, Mrs. Davidson, sponsor, and Robert Schlegel.

ADMINISTRATION



ALMA MATER

Our Alma Mater's praise we sing, our love
and homage true.

We pledge to her our loyalty, and try our
best to do

All that she's taught us through the years
we've sat beneath her rule.

Those glorious days! Those happy days!
Our own Montrose High School.

BOARD OF EDUCATION



No better description than that found in the works of the immortal Scott, "Unwept, unhonored, and unsung" applies to the members of the Montrose School Board. We give heartfelt thanks to these men and women who are contributing their time in the interest of our generation and trying continually to better the world we live in.

SUPERVISION



Leonard G. O'Brien

The graduation of the class of 1951 brings to a close the "school that was."

My prayer for you is that you will but add to its splendid traditions.

FACULTY



DAYTON L. BIRCHARD
Social Studies

MRS. MARJORIE DAVIDSON
English

DONALD MANNING
Physical Education

MAURICE D. TAYLOR
Music

IRENE PEDRICK
Commercial

CHARLES WILSON
Science

MRS. RUTH JAMES
Latin

SARAH CARMEN
Physical Education

JACK YEAGER
Industrial Arts

ESTHER PENNAY
Home Economics

ROBERT SNYDER
Mathematics

MARIAN McKEOWN
French

HAROLD DONOVAN
Agriculture

MAY BELLE WOODIN
Music



CLASS HISTORY

'47 was the starting year
For one hundred and three who were filled with fear;
Gathered together as a Freshman class
Hoping to stay until four years would pass.
Flanagan was chosen to see us through
And held the course both firm and true,
Until the picnic on the old ball grounds
When we really felt we were out of bounds.
Roller skating and parties galore,
But still we craved and asked for more.
The final picnic at Page's Lake
Was said by all to "take the cake."
Then once again in '48
So full of pep we could hardly wait;
With Hayes as President we'd look for fun,
And preparations were then begun.
For days and weeks far in advance
We worked and planned the St. Patrick's dance
Where fun and frolic held full sway,
Still echoing from that Gym today.
Tripp Lake was then the final fling
And there we did most everything.
Gathered once more in '49
With Carolyn as president we were due to shine.
We needed money for our senior class,
So as the months began to pass,
Talent shows and Legion ads
Chisled dollars from our dads.
We stretched again those tight purse strings
When they dug down to buy our rings.
The Junior year would be incomplete
Unless the seniors got their treat;
Ansco Lake was picked for the job
And won approval from the mob.
In '50 we were bound to "click"
As Carolyn again the class did pick.
Several bake sales, snow-ball hop,
Hallowe'en dance and soda pop,
Box social and fashion show
Continuously kept us on the go.
The senior play, "Come Rain or Shine,"
Is taking now most of our time.
We know the faculty has done its part
And now is dear to every heart.
With graduation drawing nigh
We'll soon be leaving Montrose High.
And as we go our many ways
We're going to miss those good school days.

SENIORS

AINEY, ALLISON

General Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Gym Exhibition 1-4
Senior Play



ALDRICH, DORIS

Commercial Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1
Band 1-2-3-4
Life Staff 4



ANDRE, NEIL

General Course
Chorus 1
Band 1-2-3-4
County Band 1-2-3-4
District Band 1-2-3-4
State Band 1-4
Gym Exhibition 3
Life Staff 4
Acta Staff
Senior Play



BARBOUR, JAMES

Agriculture Course
Hi-Y
Chorus 1-2-3-4
County Chorus 4
F.F.A. 1-2-3-4
President 4



BENIO, MARY ANN

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1
Camera Club 4



BENNETT, ROBERT

Industrial Arts
Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3
Baseball 2-3-4
Volleyball 3-4
Track 1-2-3



BISHOP, WILLIAM

Industrial Arts
Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
County Chorus 3-4
Volleyball 3-4



BOLLINGER, MAXINE

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2
Volleyball 4
Track 1-2
Gym Exhibition 1-2-4
F.H.A. 3-4
President 4



BUSH, JANICE

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
F.H.A. 3-4
Camera Club 4



CAREY, DOUGLAS

General Course
Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Basketball Manager 3



CEASE, SANDRA

Commercial Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1
Camera Club 4



COOK, DORIS

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1



COY, VONDA

General Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Gym Exhibition 2
Life Staff 4
Senior Play



CRAIGE, NELSON

General Course
Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Band 1
Manager 3
Basketball Manager 3
F.F.A. 2
Gym Exhibition 3-4
Life Staff 2-3-4
Acta Editor



DAVIS, ROSALINE

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 2-3-4
Chorus 2-3-4
Gym Exhibition 2-3
F.H.A. 3-4
Senior Play



DAYTON, BERNARD

Agriculture Course
Hi-Y 1-2
F.F.A. 1-2-3-4
Penn State Judging
Team 1
County Delegate 3-4



DEPUE, ESTHER

General Course
Chorus 1-2-3-4
County Chorus 3
District Chorus 4
Ensemble 3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
County Band 4
District Band 4
State Band 4
County Orchestra 2
Life Staff 4



EDWARDS, MARGARET

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-4
F.H.A. 3



ELY, NANCY

Academic Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2
Gym Exhibition 1-2-3-4
Declamation Contest 2
Life Staff 1-2-3-4
Editor 4
Senior Play



FANCHER, BARBARA

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
District Chorus 4
Ensemble 3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
F.H.A. 3-4
Gym Exhibition 2-3
Life Staff



FLANAGAN, MICHAEL

Commercial Course
Hi-Y 1-2
Chorus 1-2-3-4
County Chorus 1-2
District Chorus 3
Octet 3
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Acta Staff
Class President 1
Senior Play



GORTON, GLORIA

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1
F.H.A. 3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Life Staff 3



GUNTHER, BARBARA

Academic Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
County Chorus 3-4
District Chorus 4
Ensemble 3-4
Band 2-3-4
Basketball 3-4
Gym Exhibition 2-3
Acta Staff
Senior Play



HALEY, FRANK

Industrial Arts
Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
County Chorus 4
Octet 3



HARRISON, PAUL

General Course
Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
President 4
Basketball 2-3-4
Gym Exhibition
Life Staff 2-3-4
Acta Staff
Senior Play



HART, DOUGLAS

Industrial Arts
Hi-Y 1-2
Basketball 2-3
Baseball 2-3-4
Stage Crew 1-2-3-4



HART, EVELYN

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Ensemble 3-4
F.H.A. 3-4
Basketball Manager 3-4



HAYES, BARBARA

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1
Chorus 4
F.H.A. 4
Gym Exhibition 1
Life Staff 4



HERNE, CAROLYN

General Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
County Band 1-2-3-4
District Band 2-3-4
State Band 2
Volleyball 4
Gym Exhibition 1-2-3-4
Cheerleading 1-2-3-4
Life Staff 2-3-4
Class President 3-4



HICKOK, MARY

General Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Ensemble 4
Band 1-2
Life Staff 3-4



HICKS, BARBARA

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Assistant Basketball Manager 4
Life Staff 4
Acta Staff
Senior Play



KRNA, KENNETH

Industrial Arts
Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Basketball 2-3-4
Volleyball 3-4
F.F.A. 3



KUDART, RALPH

General Course
Hi-Y 1-2
Chorus 1-2-3
Basketball 2-4
Volleyball 4
Gym Exhibition 3-4
Acta Staff
"Sunny Siders"
Senior Play



LAKE, SUZANNE

General Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
County Chorus 2-4
Madrigals 4
Basketball 2
Gym Exhibition 1
Life Staff 4
Assistant Acta Editor
Senior Play



MAGNOTTI, ROSE MARIE

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1
Chorus 1-2-3-4
F.H.A. 3
Life Staff 4



MAYNARD, KENNETH

Industrial Arts
Hi-Y 3-4
Camera Club 4
Acta Staff



McLAUGHLIN, WILLIAM

Industrial Arts
Hi-Y 1-2
Basketball 1-2-3
Baseball 1-2-3
Volleyball 1-2-3-4
Track 1-2-3
Gym Exhibition 1-2



MILLARD, DELBERT

Industrial Arts
F.F.A. 1-2-3
Hi-Y 1-2-4



MOGER, FRANK

Industrial Arts
Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Basketball 1-2-4
Baseball 3-4
Volleyball 3-4
Track 2-3
Gym Exhibition
Life Staff 2
Acta Staff
Senior Play



NORRIS, ANN

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2
Chorus 1-2-3
Cheerleading 3-4
Gym Exhibition 1-2-4
F.H.A. 3-4
Acta Staff



O'BOYLE, MARY

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Gym Exhibition 1-2-3-4
F.H.A. 3-4
President 3
Acta Staff
Senior Play



O'BRIEN, IDA

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3
F.H.A. 3



PALMER, WILMA

Commercial Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2
Band 1



POTTS, DELBERT

Industrial Arts
Hi-Y 1
Baseball 4
Volleyball 2-3-4
Gym Exhibition 3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Track 2
Stage Crew 2-3-4



RUSSELL, KENNETH

Agriculture Course
Hi-Y 1
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
County Band 4
F.F.A. 1-2-3-4



SCHLEGEL, ROBERT

General Course
Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
County Chorus 4
Madrigals
Band 1-2-3-4
County Band 1-2-3
District Band 1-2-3-4
State Band 3
Life Staff 1-2
"Sunny Siders"
Acta Staff



SHERMAN, DOROTHY

General Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
County Band 4
Life Staff 3-4



SICKLER, ANN

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
Chorus 1-2-3-4
Volleyball 4
Gym Exhibition
F.H.A. 3-4
Acta Staff



SINGER, JOHN

Agriculture Course
Hi-Y 1-2
F.F.A. 1-2-3-4



SMITH, RAY

Agriculture Course
Hi-Y 3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
County Band 4
F.F.A. 1-2-3-4



SNOW, STEPHEN

Agriculture Course
Hi-Y 1-2-3
Volleyball 3-4
F.F.A. 1-2-3-4



VAN HOUSEN, KENDALL

Industrial Arts



VAN TASSEL, LOUELLA

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1
F.H.A. 3-4
Life Staff 4



WARNER, GERTRUDE

Commercial Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2-3-4
President 4
Gym Exhibition 2-3
Life Staff 4



WOOD, AUDREY

Home Economics
Tri-Hi-Y 1
F.H.A. 3-4
Life Staff 4
Senior Play



YEOMANS, PATRICIA

Commercial Course
Tri-Hi-Y 1-2
Chorus 1-2-4
Gym Exhibition
F.H.A. 3
Life Staff 3-4
Senior Play



AS WE USED TO BE



Delbert Potts



Evelyn Hart



Nelson Craig



Robert Schlegel



Doris Aldrich



Paul Harrison



Barbara Fancher



Barbara Hicks



Barbara
Hayes



Barbara Gunther



Robert Bennett



Louella
Van Tassel



Vonda Coy



Ralph Kudart



Janice Bush



Ann Sickler



Douglas Carey



Wilma Palmer



Kenneth Maynard



Ray Smith



Bernard Dayton



Rosaline Davis



Neil Andre



Frank Moger



Gertrude Warner



Nancy Ely



Audrey Wood



Suzanne Lake



Rose Magnotti



Mary O'Boyle



Delbert Millard



Doris Cook



Mary Hickok



Stephen Snow



Patricia Yeomans



Michael Flanagan



Frank Haley



Carolyn Horne



John Singer



Ann Norris



Esther Depue



Sandra Cease



Mary Benio



Edwards
Margaret



Ida O'Brien



Allison Ainey



Kenneth Russell



Dorothy Sherman



Maxine Bollinger



Kenneth Krna



Gloria Gorton



James Barbour

Our thanks go out to our friendly and efficient office girl for all the assistance she has given us in our senior projects.

Thanks, Rose Considine.



WHO'S WHO



Give Nancy a bristol board, together with a variety of paints and brushes, and she's happy. Then walk in two hours later, view a lovely 12x18 picture (subject being anything from a vase of flowers to a box of soapflakes), and you'll see why we think she **should** be. Yes, by following her hobby of painting for the past five years, Nancy has proved herself one of our clever artists. We are proud to include her among our Who's Who.



Forced by a skating accident to remain at home for over one year of her school days, Barbara turned to one of her many interests, soap carving, to while away some of the tedious hours. It was surprising what a transformation soon came about in a 3x5 cake of Ivory! Her equipment is simple—razor blades, pencil, and jack-knife—but with an eye for design, nimble fingers, and an abundance of patience, Barbara's collection today includes many horses, cats, and lambs, as well as a family group of deer. Her precision and skill in this and in other endeavors are an inspiration to her classmates.



While observing a Home Ec class about a year ago, Carolyn became extremely interested in figurine painting. Further inquiry into the work brought about a prompt decision to try her own hand at it. Though she confesses her hobby is carried on a bit spasmodically, she nevertheless puts in many enjoyable hours once the paints are mixed and the equipment is in readiness. She has finished many figurines since adopting this pastime.



A little boy of ten pouring over every book on airplanes he could find—then the first plane ride at thirteen—and the flying lessons that followed—all these add up to Bob's hobby. The thrill of soloing came on his sixteenth birthday, then work in earnest for his license. In Bob's own words he tells us, "After many more hours in the air, with countless check flights, my instructor finally decided that I was at last competent to carry passengers. The long awaited dream came true." Late last summer the C.A.A. awarded him the coveted pilot's license.

CLASS DIRECTORY



The Funniest



The Most Musical



The Most Studious



Most Pleasing Personality



The Quietest



The Most Athletic



Most Likely to Succeed



Shortest and Tallest



JUNIOR GIRLS



First row, left to right: Barbara Trubisky, Lois Barnhart, Gladys Atkinson, Doris Hughes, Joan Cease, Sally Passmore, Eleanor Seely, Lina Maynard, Delores Sivers.

Second row: Patricia Davison, Carol Warner, Ruth Halsey, Shirley Skinner, Karen Downs, Mary Foran, Carole Davis, Audrey Roe, Dorothea Wood, Mr. Birchard.

Third row: Elvi Kolu, Doris Millard, Michaelene Grick, Mary Jane Holbrook, Barbara Barney, Elaine Burgess, Aime Kattus, Josephine Williams, Elaine Admerand.

JUNIOR BOYS



First row, left to right: Daniel Magnotti, Richard Hall, Theodore Palmer, Glen Brunges, Kenneth Brown, Harold Olmstead, Robert MacGeorge, Alfred Hitchcock, Ralph Severcool, Duane Reynolds.

Second row: James Arnold, Chester Frystack, David Colwell, Russell Gilbert, Joseph Kresky, Bernard Considine, James Eddy, Duane Birdsall, Wilfred Henry, Gerald Snyder, Mr. Donovan.

Third row: Albert Bennett, Roger Gavitt, Donald Cruser, Richard Allen, Carlton Taylor, John Arnold, George Ainey, Don Birchard.

Fourth row: Darrell Whitney, Romeyn Cook, John McConnon, Stockton Gaines, Clark Gardner, Frank Wilson, David Allen, Riggs Smith, Clarence Evans, Elmer Taylor.

SOPHOMORE GIRLS



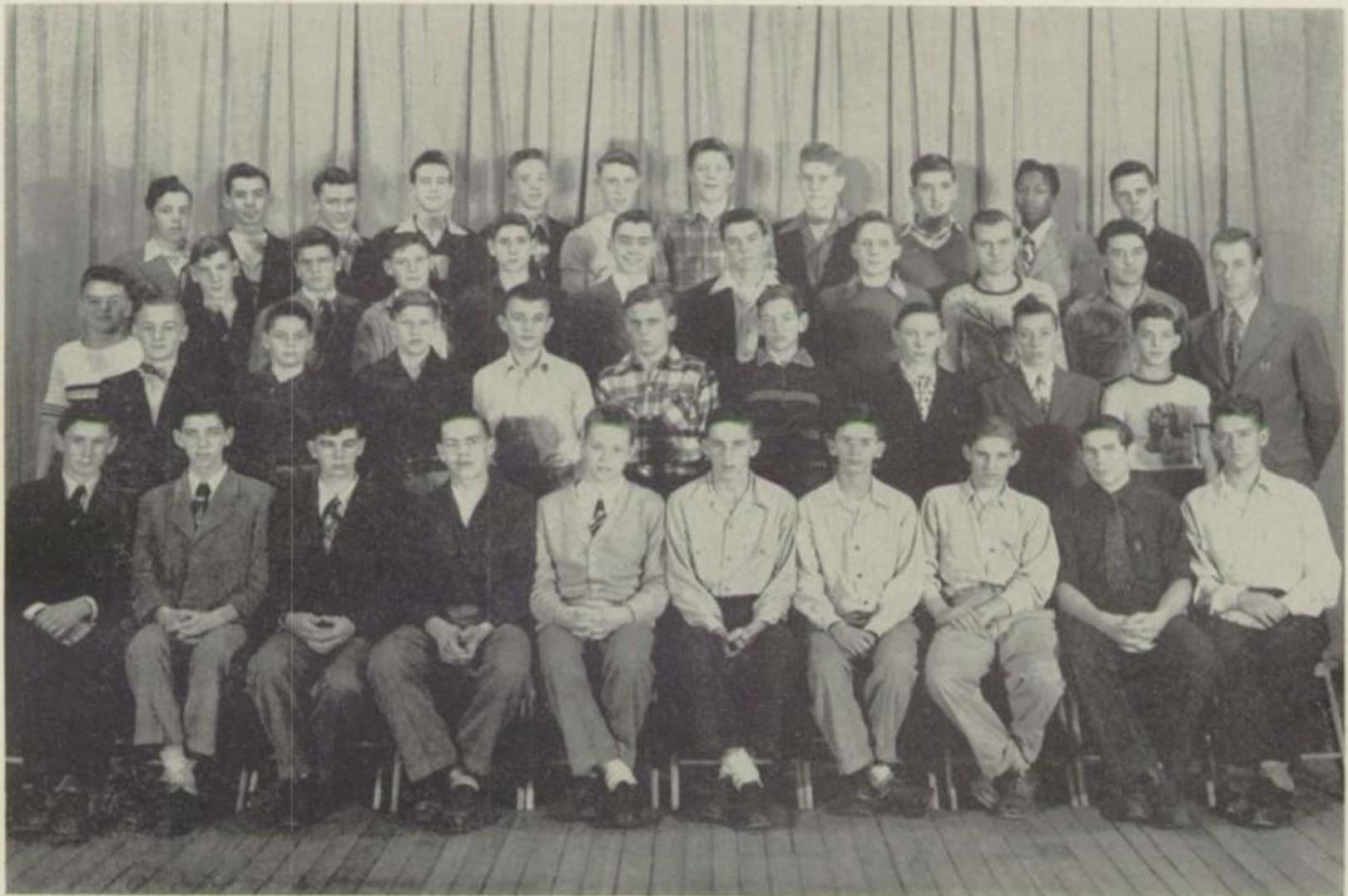
First row, left to right: Betty Griffis, Naomi Arnold, Nancy Garner, Sallie Russell, Joan Hayes, Marilyn Taylor, Margaret Bohner, Kathryn Goodrich, Linda Craige, Bonita Natzle.

Second row: Carol Brooks, Charlotte Bishop, Joan Van Housen, Wilma Severcool, Iva Sivers, Delores Bullock, Jane Van Housen, Mary Gorski, Ella Mead, Miss Pennay.

Third row: Marcia Gardner, Elaine Brunges, Ethel Decker, Mabel Booth, Maureen Darroch, Charlotte Decker, Sandra Hughes, Eleanor Williams, Kathryn Grick.

Fourth row: Barbara Very, Helen Chalker, Jo Anne Davies, Carol Klimas, Margaret Noll, Shirley Minkler, Josephine Decker, Shirley Felton.

SOPHOMORE BOYS



First row, left to right: John English, Richard Blachek, Elbert Decker, Charles Mead, William Brown, Donald O'Brien, Paul Griffing, Mallory Smith, James Hall, Kenneth Sheffler.

Second row: Donald Very, Edrick Adams, John Comstock, Donald Twining, Robert Hall, Paul Henry, Richard Robinson, Raymond Lewis, Roscoe Smith.

Third row: William Edwards, Melvin Goff, Theodore Roberts, Douglas Fraser, Gary Downer, David Andre, John Starzec, Wayne Stevens, Edwin Wood, Robert Root, Mr. Snyder.

Fourth row: Gene Birchard, Ronald West, Ronald Griswold, Thomas Lewis, Richard Olmstead, Lewis Newton, Donald Berg, William Dean, William Hallick, Lawrence Reid, John Benio.

FRESHMAN GIRLS



First row, left to right: Carolyn Hayes, Sylvia Hughes, Kathryn Ainey, Harriette Gilbert, Catherine Considine, Carol Sherman, Carolyn Wilbur, Roberta Lowrey, Helene Hughes.

Second row: Yvonne Hart, Louise Yorgensen, Eleanor Berg, Joan Wilbur, Theresa Kowalski, Betty Holbrook, Hilda DeGraw, Wilma Mawhinney, Anna Poniatowski, Mary Rainville, Miss Carmen.

Third row: Mary Singer, Clara Rosenkrans, Phyllis Bowen, Sarah Lindsley, Catherine Rudock, Florence Rydzweski, Virginia Squires, Esther Organski, Doris Rosenkrans, Lee Anne Hill.

Fourth row: Ann Meehan, Priscilla Hayes, Gail Gardner, Dorothy Bush, Mary Ann Zlotucha, Kathryn Gaines, Jean Wood, Betty Millard, Joanne Bullock, Lucille McConnon, Lillian Sasina.

FRESHMAN BOYS



First row, left to right: William Trubisky, Harvey Van Dusen, Leonard Everitt, Franz Fearnley, Freddie Burgh, Stanley Darrow, John Robertson, Samuel Arnold, William Jenner.

Second row: Alexander Rudock, Leroy Dailey, George Parmalee, Robert Millard, Wesly Goff, Victor Berg, Howard Powers, Samuel Magnotti, Jan Hendrickson, George Reid.

Third row: Robert Coy, Dee Pierson, Gary Conover, Thomas Hinz, James Welch, Rolland Quick, Leon Barnhart, Paul Considine, Ellra Allard, Edward Rafferty, Warren Smith, Mr. Wilson.

Fourth row: Arden MacGeorge, Thayer Decker, Dale Baker, James Webber, Richard Benninger, Louis Hicks, Earl Wood, Gerald Barnes, Horace Williams, Robert Chaffee, Clair Lindsley.

TRI-HI-Y



The Tri-Hi-Y is an organization whose purpose is "To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community, high standards of Christian character."

The 1950-51 officers were: President, Gertrude Warner; 1st Vice President, Eleanor Seeley; 2nd Vice President, Margaret Noll; Secretary, Barbara Gunther; Treasurer, Vonda Coy; Corresponding Secretary, Carol Warner; Recording Secretary, Mabel Booth; and Counselor, Mrs. James. Seventy girls joined the club and were inducted at a candlelight service on November 8.

Officers Training Conference at Scranton in the Y. M. C. A. Building was enjoyed by all who attended. A very efficient speaker explained what the U. N. Assembly was like.

Through the year, the club members sold candy during the noon hour to raise money for the Mother and Daughter Banquet. The latter was a very pleasant affair held on May 9.

Among the various speakers for our "Teen Topics" were Mrs. Garst, Mr. Ayres, and Amie and Elvie. We also sponsored an educational movie which was presented in high school assembly.

HI-Y



Under the leadership of Mr. Birchard the boys of the Hi-Y Club have enjoyed a very profitable year in studying the development of Christian character. The club was divided into seven committees which included all of the forty-three members. Each committee had the responsibility of planning and directing a meeting. Many interesting and instructional programs were presented in the form of slides, movies, skits, special speakers, and group discussions. This system gave each boy an opportunity to have a part in the activities of the club.

The officers of Hi-Y were: President, Paul Harrison; Vice-President, Frank Moger; Secretary, Kenneth Maynard; and Treasurer, Robert Schlegel.

F. F. A.



The 10th annual Harvest Ball was one of the main highlights of the year. Suzanne Lake was crowned Harvest Queen.

On November 15th the officers, two delegates, and advisor attended a county F.F.A. meeting at Thompson. Don Birchard was secretary at this meeting and was also elected as a delegate to the State Association at Harrisburg.

The second highlight of the year was January 10th when we learned that our window exhibit won 2nd place in the state at the Farm Show in Harrisburg.

On April 2nd we competed in the 2nd annual Parliamentary Procedure contest and placed third in the county.

Two other honors were handed to us when Charles Bush was awarded the Keystone Farmer Degree and Mr. O'Brien was awarded the Honorary Keystone Farmer Degree, also at the Farm Show.

All of the Agriculture students attended the Bloomsburg Fair this year instead of the Harford Fair which is much smaller.

This year for the first time, all juniors and seniors that wanted F.F.A. jackets got them, having part paid by the club.

The officers were: President, James B. Barbour; Vice President, Stephen Snow; Secretary, Ray Smith; Treasurer, Charles Mead; Reporter, Kenneth Russell; Sentinel, Don Birchard; Chaplain, Frank Wilson.

F. H. A.



With an enrollment of 45 girls the F.H.A. organization opened its second season on September 21 with the election of the following officers: Maxine Bollinger, president; Joan Van Housen, vice president; Priscilla Hayes, secretary; Joan Hayes, treasurer.

The first few meetings were spent studying the F.H.A. creed and purposes.

At Christmas time the girls enjoyed preparing and decorating two large boxes of food and clothing for a family recommended by the Welfare Department.

Janice Bush brought honors to our club by winning second place in a district Kitchen Planning Contest.

The club members held a number of bake sales to earn money to send delegates to the State Convention at Pittsburgh on April 20 and 21.

GIRLS' CHORUS



First row, left to right: Priscilla Hayes, Linda Craige, Joan Hayes, Barbara Barney, Carole Davis, Kathryn Grick, Margaret Noll, Jo Ann Davies, Rosaline Davis, Esther Depue, Ethel Decker, Lois Barnhart, Elvi Kolu, Sallie Russell, Kathryn Goodrich, Barbara Trubisky.

Second row: Harriette Gilbert, Theresa Kowalski, Kathryn Ainey, Ann Meehan, Barbara Hayes, Allison Ainey, Mary O'Boyle, Barbara Very, Marcia Gardner, Elaine Brunges, Shirley Felton, Naomi Arnold, Nancy Garner, Carolyn Wilbur, Sue Lake.

Third row: Yvonne Hart, Evelyn Hart, Jane Van Housen, Joan Wilbur, Florence Rydzweski, Audrey Roe, Doris Hughes, Mary Ann Zlotucha, Joan Van Housen, Rose Magnotti, Betty Griffis, Maureen Dorroch, Sandra Hughes, Eleanor Williams, Ann Sickler, Miss Woodin.

Fourth row: Charlotte Bishop, Charlotte Decker, Dorothy Sherman, Lillian Sasina, Lucille McConnon, Joanne Bullock, Marilyn DeWitt, Barbara Gunther, Barbara Fancher, Marilyn Taylor, Phyllis Bowen, Helene Hughes, Carolyn Hayes, Carol Sherman, Lee Anne Hill, Dorothea Wood.

BOYS' CHORUS



First row, left to right: John Starzec, James Eddy, Daniel Magnotti, John Robertson, Raymond Lewis, Dee Pierson, William Trubisky, Victor Berg, William Brown, Arden MacGeorge, Frederick Burgh, Roger Gavitt, Donald Very, Duane Birdsall, David Andre, Richard Olmstead, Mr. Taylor.

Second row: James Barbour, Donald Berg, Wayne Stevens, Richard Schlegel, William Dean, Ronald West, Clarence Evans, Donald Cruser, Duane Reynolds, Thomas Lewis, Delbert Potts, Elmer Taylor.

Third row: Robert Root, James Welch, Albert Bennett, Horace Williams, Russell Gilbert, Thayer Decker, Robert Bennett, Gerald Burnes, Frank Wilson, Carlton Taylor, Ralph Kudart, John McConnon, Riggs Smith, Frank Haley, William Bishop.

JUNIOR BAND



First row, left to right: Robert Chaffee, Betty Holbrook, Carol Sherman, Marilyn Egli, Ethel Williams, David Torrey, Donald Chamberlain, Shirley Roberts, Sharon McLaughlin, Mildred Weiss, Lura Lawton, Frederick Krause, Donna Corwin, Rosalie Raynor, Anita Blockberger, Linda Brown.

Second row: Carol Klimas, Eleanor Williams, Sandra Hughes, Charlotte Decker, Gerald Sprout, Phyllis MacGeorge, Theresa Magnotti, Barbara Schooley, June Mudge, Beverly Krause, Gertrude Wilcox, Freddie Walters, James Burgh, Roger Torrey, David Gardner.

Third row: Mr. Taylor, John Scott, Marian Stoss, Wilma Mawhinney, James Worrell, Kenneth Griffis, Sarah MacGeorge, Sharon Griffing, Helen Chalker, Betty Wilson, Robert Griffis, Carlton Roe, Rosalie Haritun, Thomas Hinz.

Fourth row: Phyllis Mackey, Robert Darroch, Kathryn Grick, Ethel Decker, Richard Craige, Robert Gardner, Doris Hughes, Robert Miller, Jack Griffis, John Moger, David Stoss.

SENIOR BAND



Several members attended district band which was held at Shamokin on Feb. 15-16-17. About 20 students participated in the County Festival in New Milford on March 30 and April 2.

Esther Depue and Neil Andre were chosen for state band held at Harrisburg, March 15-16-17.

Eighty students attended a band concert at Union-Endicott High School to hear the Hobart Band, April 4.

The annual concert was given April 19, one of the best presented in our school.

Although eleven members will be graduated this year, the band will still carry on its excellent work.

MADRIGALS



The Madrigal group is a new facet of the school's music department, having been started early this year by Miss Woodin. The purpose of madrigal singing is to show the customs of middle-age nobility, in that often after a banquet was finished, the lords and their ladies would sit around the banquet table and sing unaccompanied part songs for their **own** enjoyment.

The Madrigals have given public performances for the Monday Club, for the school's annual vocal concert, and for the tenth anniversary services commemorating the completion of the Methodist Church at South Montrose.

LIFE STAFF



First row, left to right: Nelson Craige, Sue Lake, Neil Andre, Lola Twining, Paul Harrison, Nancy Ely (editor), Carolyn Herne, Dorothy Sherman, Vonda Coy, Ann Norris.

Second row: Miss McKeown, Gertrude Warner, Linda Craige, Betty Griffis, Joan Cease, Marilyn Taylor, Barbara Fancher, Audrey Wood, Miss Pedrick.

Third row: Doris Aldrich, Barbara Hayes, Barbara Hicks, Patricia Yeomans, Jo Ann Davies, Josephine Williams, Shirley Minkler.

Fourth row: Rose Magnotti, Margaret Noll, Daniel Magnotti, Donald Cruser, Thomas Lewis, David Andre, David Colwell, Esther Depue, Louella Van Tassol.

CAMERA CLUB



This year a group of boys and girls organized a Camera Club under the leadership of Mr. Wilson. A guest speaker came from Ansco and showed some slides and also gave a talk. Although the Camera Club was responsible for this treat, the whole school benefited from it.

The Camera Club meets every Friday, and the Kodak Company sends slides for the club to see every month. These slides range from how to take a picture to how the government uses photography in criminal investigation.

Mr. Wilcox is very much interested in our club and has brought pictures to the meetings as well as given talks in connection with the pictures.

The officers are: President, Tom Lewis; Vice President, Amie Kattus; Secretary, Janice Bush; Treasurer, Ray Smith.

This club is for sophomores, juniors, and seniors only.



GIRLS' BASKETBALL



Because the varsity members of last year's team were graduated, this year's squad was not so successful as those of previous years. But what the girls lacked in experience they made up for in their splendid team work and sportsmanship.

Miss Carman, our new coach, was faced with the difficult task of building a team from inexperienced players. Even though the scorebook didn't show it, she was always there urging us on.

We are certain that next year's team will be greatly improved and a challenge to other teams.

BOYS' BASKETBALL



Not since 1939, which is a long time ago, has Montrose turned in such an admirable performance. The town, which has long awaited a winning team, was rewarded when ours completed the season with a 16-5 record.

As predicted last year, the team finished up the season with flying colors, and we foresee even greater things for the future.

Under the dynamic coaching of Mr. Manning, Jim Arnold, Russell "Butch" Gilbert, Ted Palmer, Clarence "Junie" Evans, Bill Dean, and all the others came through in fine fashion.

The four graduating seniors, Ralph Kudart, Paul Harrison, Frank Moger, and Ken Krna, will all miss the swell fellows on the team as well as Mr. Manning. The team will lose a good scrimmage squad by their graduation.

CHEERLEADERS



The game is tied, a time out is called, and onto the floor rush five girls in maroon and white. With a peppy "Hip Hip," they lead the tense crowd in a well-known cheer to urge the team on. Feeling that the crowd is with them, they are inspired to fight to the finish. These girls have what it takes to lead the cheers—vitality, vigor, and versatility. Yes, girls, you did a fine job. Congratulations to you all, and so long to Carolyn and Ann.

BASEBALL



The 1950 baseball season was a short and discouraging one for the Montrose fans. The team ended up with a 0 and 4 record that could hardly be classed as impressive. To all outward appearances the team looked to be a winner, but bad weather, bad breaks, and surprising ineptness of the batters combined to swing the balance in the other direction.

The five graduating seniors, Bob Bennett, Mike Flanagan, Frank Moger, Doug Hart, and Del Potts wish the next year's team the best of luck and thank Mr. Snyder for the help and guidance he gave them.

Bernard Considine CF
 Rolly Quick P
 Junie Evans C
 Del Potts 1B
 Gary Downer CF
 Don Berg RF
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DAY BY DAY

OCTOBER

- 4 We watched the World Series opener on **television** in the gym. Queer, no absences today. Now they're talking of installing calculators for math classes.
- 7 The Whiz Kids' fans are gnashing their teeth. Despite T.V. the Yanks won the Series in four games.
- 10 "I'll wrap my box with the comic section of the Sunday paper." "O.K." Yep, Senior box social tonight.
- 16-17 Institute! First vacation of the year! Now the poor(?) teachers have to go to school.
- 18 Over entirely too soon, of course.
- 25 This schoolhouse seems to draw signs like a magnet. Have to enlarge Van's room to keep them.
- 30 Enough soap used on windows to keep Ivory in business for at least five more years!
- 31 Hallowe'en!

NOVEMBER

- 1 What's the matter? An epidemic in study hall? No, just the first day of hunting season.
- 4 Boy, the hunting's really great this year! Only trouble is that the finding is kind of slim.
- 7 This initiation seems to have turned the F.F.A. into an Indian tribe, complete with lipstick warpaint.
- 9 Confusion reigns: Acta pictures.
- 10 7th period. Strange noises from the English room. The Seniors are studying Macbeth.
- 15 Come one, come all to the Library Benefit Talent Show! Largest crowd ever!
- 17 "Where's my Levi's, Maw?" 10th annual Harvest Ball.
- 21 Snow! Just in time for our first B-ball game. LeRaysville hore, beaten by the boys after they edged out the girls' team.
- 22 Thanksgiving vacation.
- 24 STORM! It seems to be fashionable to have a tree lying in your yard.
- 27 Deer season. Since even the girls are going this year, there seems to be some question as to the proper spelling of that word.
- 28 At LeRaysville, now. Our boys brought home the bacon 50-40. Girls lost.
- 29 A real treat today. Colored slides of wild life and nature's beauties projected in the gym. Thank you, Ansco.

DECEMBER

- 4 The whole school turned out today to see a special showing of a historical movie, "50 Years Before Your Eyes."
- 5 Another exciting B-ball excursion to Tunkhannock. Our J-V's lost a thriller 18 to 19 while the varsity bowed 26-40.
- 6 Why is everyone all dressed up? Oh, it's time for Senior Acta pictures.
- 8 We play Susquehanna—Boys, girls, both lose.
- 11 My, the seniors look glum today. Seems they have a big English Lit. test.
- 12 A treat this morning: Elsa Moazle played the harp for us.
- 13 More Acta pictures and retakes.
- 15 New Milford here. They bow gracefully, 38-37. What a thriller! Girls lose.
- 21 Mr. Clifford's annual free movie this afternoon. Thank you!
Tonight the seniors held a "Snowball Flop" Oops! Pardon me—Hop!
- 22 $1\frac{1}{2}$ day of school today and then—Vacation! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, everyone!

JANUARY

- 2 Back to school. Goody; we all missed it so.
- 3 Faculty tie contest. Mr. Wilson carried off 1st honors, while Mr. Taylor was awarded the booby prize for his hideous monstrosity. The prize, a black oil-cloth bow tie.
- 5 Thompson game. Boys victorious; Girls lost.
- 7 F.F.A. hauled down 2nd prize at the State Farm Show. With a window display showing why Bossy greatly preferred to live in a fertilized pasture, the boys won second prize of \$40.
- 10 Student tie contest. Doug Carey won with a tie made from a newspaper.
- 11 Several students leave for District Chorus.
- 12 Juniors hold ice-skating party. No one there, not even confirmed party crashers. Must have been awfully cold.
- 15 "Look, Ed, why is that senior pacing the floor so?" "Oh, he's memorizing Shakespeare. Mrs. Davidson is giving them a memory passage test today."
- 19 Boys squeeze Hallstead out 32-31. Tied for 1st place with Susquehanna!
- 24 In chapel today two F.H.A. girls were awarded prizes won in the darning contest at the Farm Show.
- 26 At Great Bend our Tigers Beat Susquehanna for the 1st half championship! First pennant in 12 years!

FEBRUARY

- 2 Tigers' winning streak stopped at nine by Suski, 58-36. Girls bow, too, 31-19.
- 6 B-Ball at New Milford. Boys win, 42-35. Girls drop another, 33-11.
- 9 We play Harford. Boys pull a close one out of the fire, 51-50. Girls edged out, 56-17.
- 12 Hurry, hurry, hurry, come and see the sensational trampoline stars! They fly, they twist, they turn, a very good show. I bet Ma's bedsprings get a workout tonight.
- 14 Roses are red, violets are blue,
And a happy St. Valentines day to you, too.
- 16 Thompson game, Boys win. Girls lose.
"Where has everyone gone?" "Why, to District Band."
- 19 Sunny Siders' debut in gym, for dancing at noon.
- 27 The Tigers roll again, this time over Hallstead, 39-37. The girls didn't do as well, bowling 39-26.
- 28 "What! You say they're bowling on the stage?" "That's right, and I heard somebody say something about Mr. Manning's office being on fire! I'm going to go back and watch." Second annual Senior talent show, with Mr. Paul Harrison as emcee. The Sunny Siders carried off the top honors.

MARCH

- 4 B-ball championship playoff with Susquehanna at Great Bend. The Suski powerhouse defeats the Tigers, 51-34.
- 9 Tigers defeat Honesdale 54-40 in game of the year.
- 12 The M.H.S. Lakers win the noon basketball championship.
- 13 M.H.S. plays Clarks Summit for district class B Championship, at Keystone. Summit dominated the fray, 60-40.
- 14 Annual vocal concert was held in the gym. Fine turnout, excellent singing.
- 17 "Why are you wearing that bright green tie, sonny?" Saint Patrick's Day, of course.
- 20 Come one, come all. Step right up and see the great Sophomore Nickle Circus. See the great taxi act, the hilarious faculty skit, the Sunny Siders with Professor Fietlebaum Wilson. A fine show and a big crowd for this gala event.
- 21 First day of Spring. Probably this explains the absent-minded staring out of windows by some M.H.S. students.

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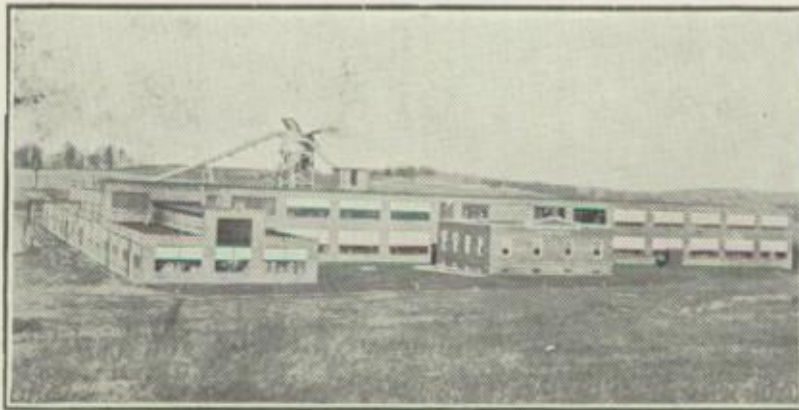
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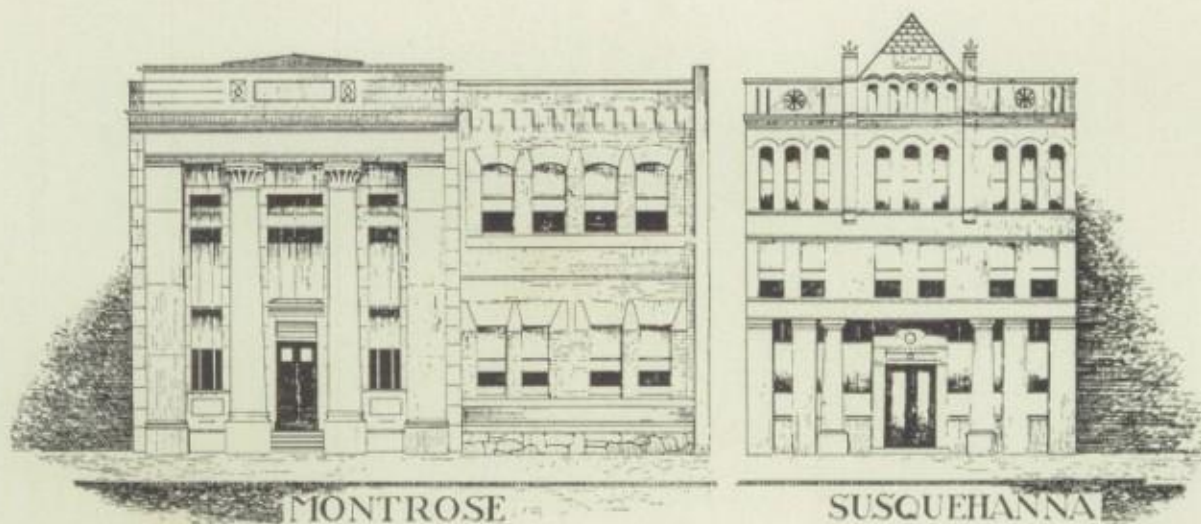
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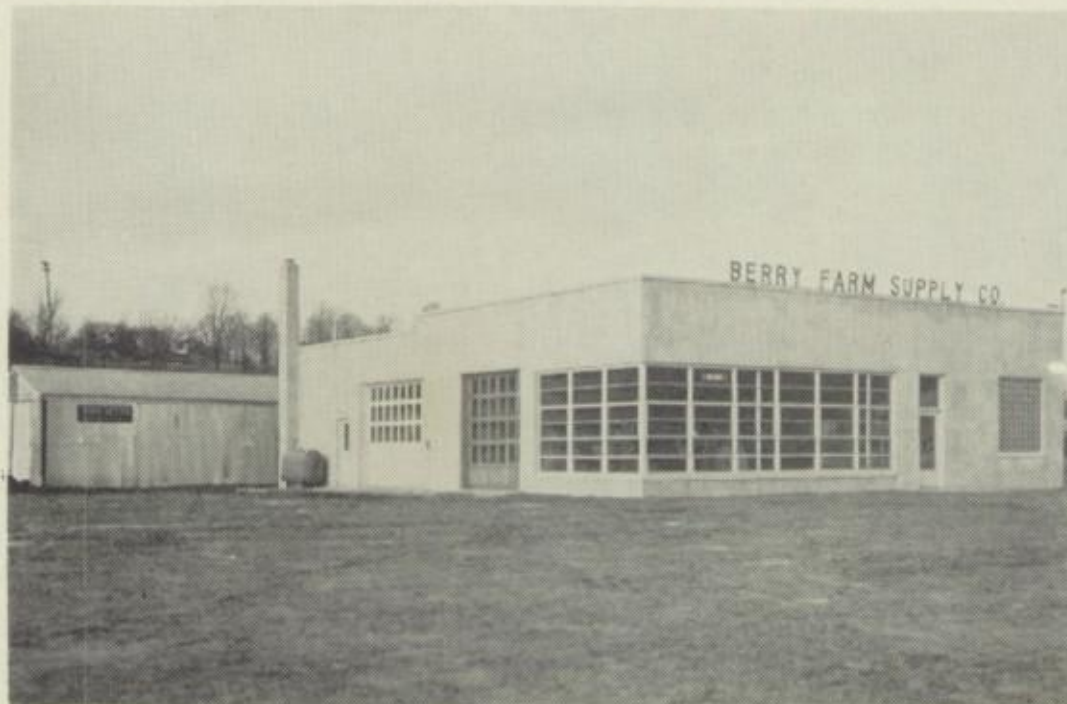
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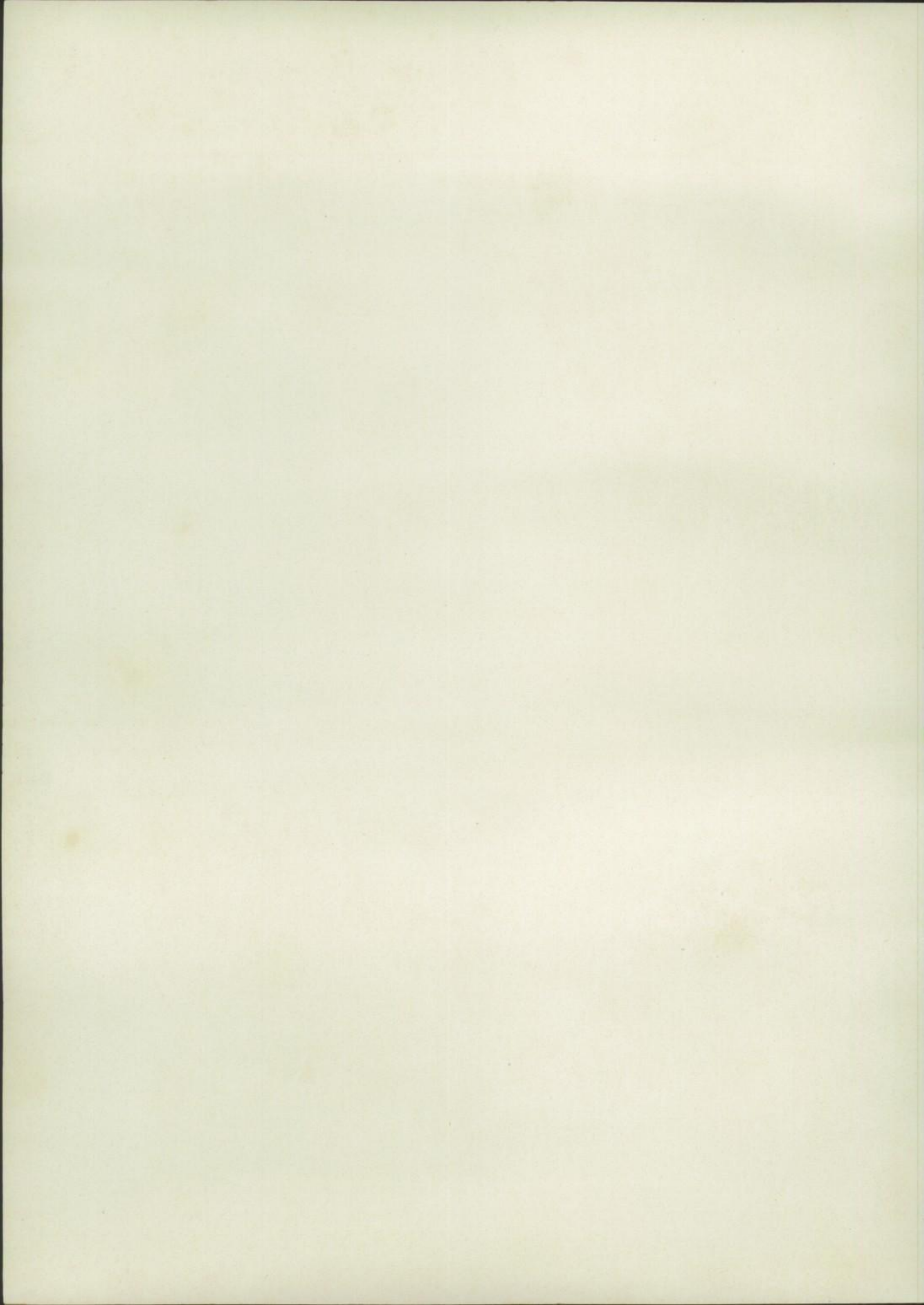
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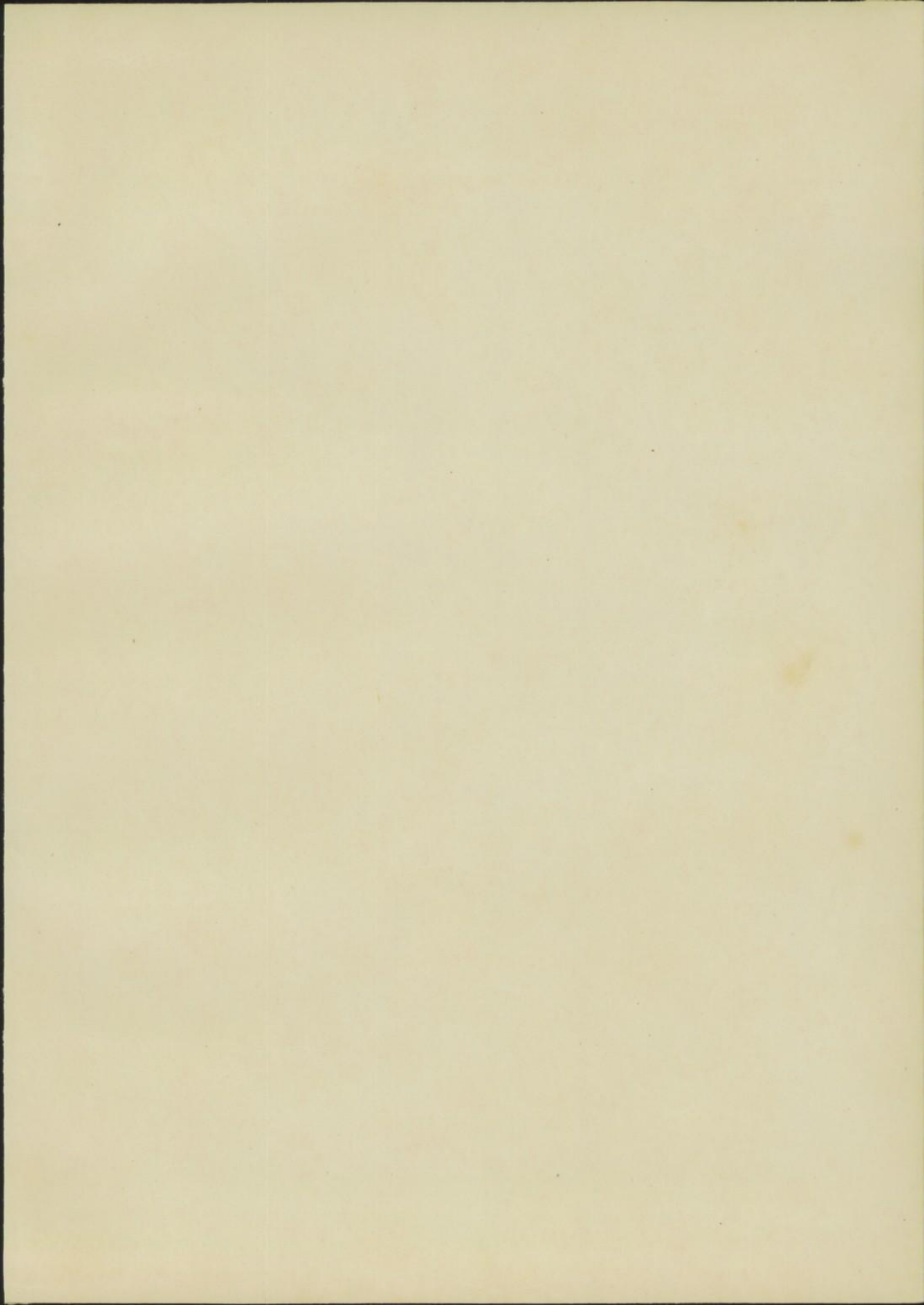
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